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## ORAL ARGUMENT NOTICE

Re: Inquiry Concerning a Judge, No. 99-09 - Patricia Kinsey

**CASE NO. SC96629** 

MAXIMUM OF TWENTY MINUTES TO THE SIDE

The Court has set the above case for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2001. In addition to paper briefs, per this Court's Administrative Order In Re: Mandatory Submission of Briefs on Computer Diskette dated February 5, 1999, counsel are directed, if you have not already done so, to include a copy of all briefs on a DOS formatted 3-1/2 inch diskette in Word Perfect 5.1 (or higher) format. PLEASE LABEL ENVELOPE TO AVOID ERASURE. Briefs submitted on diskette will be placed on the Court's Internet site (http://www.flcourts.org).

<u>COUNSEL FOR THE PARTIES ARE EXPECTED TO APPEAR FOR ORAL ARGUMENT</u> - If you anticipate <u>any</u> problem being present for oral argument on the date assigned, you should call this office within <u>five days</u> of the receipt of this notice. If we do not hear from you, the Court will expect you to appear for argument as scheduled.

DIVISION OF TIME - If there are multiple parties, counsel shall agree on a division of time.

<u>PREPARATION FOR ORAL ARGUMENT</u> - In preparing for your appearance before the Court, you should be conscious of the fact that the Justices have read all the briefs filed in this matter. Moreover, each Justice has on the bench a concise summary of the facts of the case. Counsel for the moving party should, nevertheless, give a <u>short</u>, concise statement of the material facts and the points relied on for reversal.

<u>MANUAL OF INTERNAL OPERATING PROCEDURES</u> - I have enclosed a copy of those portions of our "revised" Manual which bear on procedures for oral argument.

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Thank you for your cooperation.

Most cordially,

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